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- 1. The Guatemalan Ambassador in Mexico returned from Guatemala with information for Vladimir Pavlicek, Czech Minister in Mexico City, from President Jacobo ARBENZ concerning Pavlicek's proposed trip. Pavlicek and Martin Sakal, Czech Commercial Attache, plan to depart from Mexico City on 29 January 1954 for Guatemala, via Taca Airlines.
- 2. On 25 January 1954 Paylicek had a two-hour meeting with Mikhail Cherkasov, Counselor of the Soviet Embassy in Mexico City.

Washington Comment. Pavlicek is also assigned to Guatemala as Czech Minister.

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